

REMARKS

Claims 1-6 and 17 are pending in this application. Applicants appreciate the indication that claims 1-6 and 17 are allowed.

By this Amendment, the specification is amended by way of a substitute specification for clarity, as the Examiner requested. The amendments to the specification are based on the originally filed specification, the originally filed drawings and the originally filed claims. No new matter is added.

Non-elected claims 7-16, 18 and 19 are canceled in view of the finality of the Restriction Requirement.

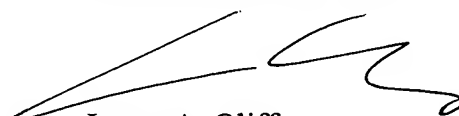
Claims 1 and 17 are amended for clarity, as the Examiner requested, by reciting additional features disclosed in the specification at, for example, Fig. 4 and paragraph [0032].

In view of the above, all the objections in the Quayle Action have been overcome.

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully submitted that this application is in condition for allowance. Favorable reconsideration and prompt allowance are earnestly solicited.

Should the Examiner believe that anything further would be desirable in order to place this application in even better condition for allowance, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned at the telephone number set forth below.

Respectfully submitted,



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Attachment:

Substitute Specification (clean copy and marked-up copy)

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